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AN ACT

CONCERNING THE DISASTER AID INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE GRANT
PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 29C.20A, subsections 2 and 3, Code
Supplement 2007, are amended to read as follows:

2. The grant funds shall be administered by the department
of human services. The department shall adopt rules to create
the Iowa disaster aid individual assistance grant program.
The rules shall specify the eligibility of applicants and
eligible items for grant funding. ~~The rules shall be adopted~~
~~no later than January 1, 2008.~~ The executive council shall
use grant funds to reimburse the department of human services
for its actual expenses associated with the administration of
the grants.

3. To be eligible for a grant, an applicant shall have an
annual household income that is less than ~~one~~ two hundred
~~thirty~~ percent of the federal poverty level based on the
number of people in the applicant's household as defined by
the most recently revised poverty income guidelines published
by the United States department of health and human services.
The amount of a grant for a household shall not exceed
~~twenty-five percent of one hundred thirty percent of the~~
~~federal poverty level for a household of one five thousand~~
~~dollars.~~ Expenses eligible for grant funding shall be limited
to personal property, home repair, food assistance, and
temporary housing assistance. An applicant for a grant shall
sign an affidavit committing to refund any part of the grant
that is duplicated by any other assistance, such as but not
limited to insurance or assistance from community development
groups, charities, the small business administration, and the
federal emergency management agency.

PATRICK J. MURPHY
Speaker of the House

JOHN P. KIBBIE
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and
is known as House File 2564, Eighty-second General Assembly.

MARK BRANDSGARD
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved _____, 2008

CHESTER J. CULVER
Governor